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Examiner : David Romeo

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Transmitted herewith is an Election with Traverse in the above-captioned application.

- ☐ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form 1449, and references cited.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.

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This is in response to the requirement for restriction under 35 U.S.C. 121 and 372 mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on September 23, 2003, which sets a one month shortened statutory period for response until October 23, 2003. Applicant notes that this response is being filed prior to the expiration of the one month shortened statutory period for response, whereby an extension of time should not be necessary to maintain the pendency of the application. However, if any extensions of time are required to maintain the pendency of this application, this is an express request for any required extension of time, and authorization for the Commissioner to charge any required fee to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Entry of the amendment herein with reconsideration and withdrawal of the requirement for restriction are respectfully requested in view of the remarks which follow: